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PROPOSED NO. 94 - 607

ORDINANCE NO. _ **11551**

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issuance and sale to Seattle-First National Bank of a limited tax general obligation bond anticipation note of the County in the principal amount of not to exceed \$40,000,000 to establish a line of credit with such bank to provide interim financing for the costs of certain capital improvements to and maintenance of the Kingdome and expenses related thereto, including legal and contractual expenses; providing the date, form, terms and conditions of said note; authorizing the issuance of limited tax general obligation bonds of the County to provide funds to pay and redeem said note; creating a note fund; authorizing procedures for draws on the line of credit secured by such note; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

Section 1. Definitions. As used in this ordinance the following words shall have the following meanings:

"Arbitrage and Tax Certification" means the certificate of that name executed and delivered by the County on the date of issuance and delivery of the Note, which certificate pertains to the calculation and payment of any Rebate Amount with respect to the Note.

"Authorized Officer" means the County's Chief Financial Officer or her designee

"Bank" means Seattle-First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, and its business successor.

"Bonds" means the not to exceed \$40,000,000 principal amount of King County, Washington, limited tax general obligation bonds authorized to be issued by this ordinance for the purpose of providing permanent financing for the Project.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with all applicable regulations thereunder.

"County" means King County, Washington, a political subdivision duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Washington.

"Council" means the general legislative body of the County as the same shall be duly and regularly constituted from time to time.

"Government Obligations" means those obligations now or hereafter defined as such in Chapter 39.53 RCW.

"Note" means the King County, Washington, Limited Tax General Obligation Bond Anticipation Note, 1994, in the principal amount of not to exceed \$40,000,000 issued pursuant to this ordinance for the purpose of establishing a line of credit with the Bank to provide interim financing for costs of the Project.

"Note Fund" means the heretofore created fund of the County known as the "King County, Limited Tax General Obligation Bond Redemption Fund."

"Note Register" means the books or records maintained by the Note Registrar, pursuant to Section 149(a) of the Code, containing the name and mailing address of the owner of the Note.

"Note Registrar" means the Treasurer for the purposes of registering and authenticating the Note, maintaining the Note Register, effecting transfer of ownership of the Note and paying interest on and principal of the Note.

"Outstanding Principal Balance" of the Note means on any particular day the aggregate of all funds that the County has drawn from the Bank under the Note to that day, less the aggregate of all principal payments on the Note made by the County on or before that day

"Prime Rate" means the rate of interest publicly announced from time to time by the Bank as its Large Business Prime Rate or Prime Rate. The Prime Rate is set by the Bank based upon various factors including the Bank's costs and desired return, general economic conditions and other factors and is used as a reference point for pricing some loans. The Bank may make loans at, above or below the Prime Rate. The Prime Rate is not necessarily the lowest rate offered by the Bank to its most creditworthy customers from time to time.

"Project" means the capital improvements to and maintenance of the Kingdome and expenses related thereto, including legal and contractual expenses, as described in Section 2 of this ordinance.

"Rebate Amount" means the amount, if any, determined to be payable with respect to the Note by the County to the United States of America in accordance with Section 148(f) of the Code.

"Treasurer" means the Manager of the Finance Division of King County.

Section 2. Authorization of Project. The plans of the County for certain capital improvements to and maintenance of the Kingdome and expenses related thereto, including legal and contractual expenses, are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Project." Proceeds of sale of the Note shall be used to pay costs of the Project, including reimbursement of

Section 3. Authorization of Bonds The County hereby authorizes the issuance of limited tax general obligation bonds of the County in the principal amount of not to exceed \$40,000,000 (the "Bonds"), to provide permanent financing for the Project and to pay costs of issuance of the Bonds. The exact date, forms, terms and maturities of the Bonds shall be as hereafter fixed by ordinance of the County Council.

Section 4. Authorization of Note. In anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds, the County hereby authorizes the issuance and sale to the Bank of a limited tax general obligation bond anticipation note in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$40,000,000 (the "Note") to establish a line of credit with the Bank to provide interim financing for the Project and pay costs of issuance of the Note. The Note shall be designated "King County, Washington, Limited Tax General Obligation Bond Anticipation Note, 1994"; shall be dated the date of its delivery to the Bank; shall mature eighteen months from its date; shall be issued in fully registered form in the denomination of not to exceed \$40,000,000; and shall be numbered in such manner and with any additional designation as the Note Registrar deems necessary for purposes of identification.

The Note shall bear interest on the Outstanding Principal Balance at a variable rate equal to the Prime Rate minus 310 basis points. Such variable rate will be recalculated at the beginning of each month. Interest on a particular principal amount drawn under the Note shall be determined from the date the Bank honors such draw. Interest shall be calculated on the basis of a year of 365/366 days and actual days elapsed. All interest and the Outstanding Principal Balance shall be due and payable at final maturity or upon prior redemption of the Note.

Section 5. Registration, Payment and Transfer. The Treasurer shall act as authenticating agent, transfer agent, paying agent and registrar for the Note (collectively. the "Note Registrar"). Both principal of and interest on the Note shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America. Principal of and interest on the Note shall be paid by check or draft of the Note Registrar mailed five calendar days prior to the date such principal and interest is due or by electronic funds transfer made on the date such principal and interest is due to the registered owner or nominee at the address appearing on the Note Register. Upon final payment

of all principal and interest thereon, the Note shall be submitted to the Note Registrar for cancellation and surrender.

The Note may be transferred only on the Note Register maintained by the Note Registrar for that purpose upon the surrender thereof by the registered owner or nominee or his/her duly authorized agent and only if endorsed in the manner provided thereon, and thereupon a new fully registered Note of like principal amount, maturity and interest rate shall be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor. Such transfer or exchange shall be without cost to the registered owner or transferee.

Section 6. Prepayment. Upon one day's written notice to the registered owner of the Note, the County may prepay all or a portion of the Outstanding Principal Balance of the Note, together with interest thereon, without penalty.

Section 7. Note Redemption Fund; Note Covenants. A special fund of the County known as the "King County Limited Tax General Obligation Bond Redemption Fund" (the "Note Fund") has heretofore been created in the office of the Treasurer. The Note Fund shall be drawn upon to pay the principal of and interest on the Note.

The Note is a limited tax general obligation of the County. The full faith, credit and resources of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged for the prompt payment of the principal of and interest on the Note as the same shall become due. The County hereby irrevocably covenants and agrees so long as the Note remains outstanding and unpaid to set aside and pay into the Note Fund out of the proceeds of sale of the Bonds, or from other funds of the County legally available therefor without a vote of the people, such amounts as are required to pay the principal of and interest on the Note as the same shall become due. The County hereby further irrevocably covenants that it will issue the Bonds or refunding bond anticipation notes in an amount sufficient, together with all other funds of the County legally available for such purpose without a vote of the people, to make the payments required by this ordinance to be made into the Note Fund as the same shall become due.

Section 8. Defeasance. In the event that money and/or Government Obligations maturing at such time or times and bearing interest to be earned thereon in amounts sufficient to redeem and retire the Note in accordance with its terms, are set aside in a special account to effect such redemption or retirement and such money and the principal of and interest on such obligations are irrevocably set aside and pledged for such purpose, then no further payments need be made into the Note Fund for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Note so

provided for and the Note shall cease to be entitled to any lien, benefit or security of this ordinance except the right to receive the funds so set aside and pledged, and the Note shall be deemed not to be outstanding hereunder.

Section 9. Tax Covenants.

A. <u>Covenants Regarding Arbitrage and Private Activity</u>. The County hereby covenants that it will not make any use of the proceeds of sale of the Note or any other funds of the County that may be deemed to be proceeds of the Note pursuant to Section 148 of the Code that will cause the Note to be an "arbitrage bond" within the meaning of said section. The County will comply with the requirements of Section 148 of the Code (or any successor provision thereof applicable to the Note) and the applicable regulations thereunder throughout the term of the Note.

The County further covenants that it will not take any action or permit any action to be taken that would cause the Note to constitute a "private activity bond" under Section 141 of the Code.

B. <u>Arbitrage Rebate</u>. The County covenants and agrees to pay the Rebate Amount, if any, to the United States of America at the times and in the amounts necessary to meet the requirements of the Code to maintain the federal income tax exemption for interest payments on the Note, in accordance with the Arbitrage and Tax Certification.

Section 10. Lost or Destroyed Note. In case the Note is lost, stolen or destroyed, the Note Registrar may execute and deliver a new Note of like amount, date, and tenor to the registered owner thereof upon the owner's paying the expenses and charges of the County and the Note Registrar in connection therewith and upon his/her filing with the County and the Note Registrar evidence satisfactory to said County and Note Registrar that the Note was actually lost, stolen or destroyed and of his/her ownership thereof, and upon furnishing the County and Note Registrar with indemnity satisfactory to the County and Note Registrar.

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Section 11 Form of	of the Note. The Note shall be in substantial	ly the following form:
	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	
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	STATE OF WASHINGTON	
	KING COUNTY	
LIMITED TAX GEN	ERAL OBLIGATION BOND ANTICIPAT	TION NOTE, 1994
INTEREST RATE:		MATURITY DATE:
Variable Rate (as described	herein)	, 1996
REGISTERED OWNER:	SEATTLE-FIRST NATIONAL BANK	
PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:		DOLLARS
riditon in investit.	(Drawn as provided herein)	
King County, Washi	ington, a municipal corporation organized a	nd existing under and by
	Constitution of the State of Washington e and for value received promises to pay t	
identified above, or register	red assigns, on the Maturity Date identified	l above, the Outstanding
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	g Principal Balance from the date hereof or d or duly provided for at a variable rate eq	
Seattle-First National Bank	minus 310 basis points. Such variable rate v	will be recalculated at the
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Registrar") for cancellation		
This note is issued Ordinance") to provide int	d pursuant to Ordinance No of erim financing for the costs of certain capi	the County (the "Note tal improvements to and
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Ordinance to set aside and pay into the Note Fund out of the proceeds of sale of limited tax general obligation bonds of the County (the "Bonds"), or from other funds of the County legally available therefor without a vote of the people, such amounts as are required to pay the principal of and interest on this note at its maturity. The County has also covenanted in the Note Ordinance that it will issue the Bonds or refunding bond anticipation notes in an amount sufficient, together with all other funds of the County legally available for such purpose without a vote of the people, to make the payments required by the Note Ordinance to be made into the Note Fund as the same shall become due.

This note is not a "private activity bond" as such term is defined in the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). This note has <u>not</u> been designated as a qualified tax-exempt obligation under Section 265(b) of the Code for investment by financial institutions.

This note shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any security or benefit under the Note Ordinance until the Registration Certificate hereon shall have been manually signed by or on behalf of the Note Registrar or its duly designated agent.

It is hereby certified that all acts, conditions and things required by the Constitution and statutes of the State of Washington to exist, to have happened, been done and performed precedent to and in the issuance of this note have happened, been done and performed and that the issuance of this note does not violate any constitutional, statutory or other limitation upon the amount of bonded indebtedness that the County may incur.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, King County, Washington, has caused this note to be executed by the manual signatures of the County Executive and Clerk of the County Council as of this _____ day of September, 1994.

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·	County Executive	

ATTEST:

Clerk of the County Council

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

This note is registered in the name of the Registered Owner on the books of the County, in the office of the Manager of the Finance Division of King County (the "Note Registrar"), as to both principal and interest, as noted in the registration blank below. No transfer hereof shall be valid unless made by the Registered Owner or his/her duly authorized agent in writing, and similarly noted hereon. All payments of principal of and interest on this note shall be made by the County with full acquittance by its check, warrant, or wire transfer payable to the last Registered Owner as shown hereon and on the registration books of the Note Registrar and delivered to such owner or mailed to him at his/her address noted hereon and on the registration books of the Note Registrar.

Date of Registration	Name and Address Registered Owne		Signatur Registr	
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DATED				
In the presence of:				

Section 12. Execution of Note. The Note shall be signed on behalf of the County by the manual or facsimile signature of the County Executive, shall be attested by the manual or facsimile signature of the Clerk of the County Council, and shall have the corporate seal of the County impressed or a facsimile thereof imprinted thereon.

Only such Note as shall bear thereon a Registration Certificate in the form hereinbefore recited, manually executed by the Note Registrar, shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose or entitled to the benefits of this ordinance. Such Registration Certificate shall be conclusive evidence that the Note so authenticated has been duly executed, authenticated and delivered hereunder and is entitled to the benefits of this ordinance.

In case either of the officers who shall have executed the Note shall cease to be such officer or officers of the County before the Note so signed shall have been authenticated or delivered by the Note Registrar, or issued by the County, such Note may nevertheless be authenticated, delivered and issued and upon such authentication, delivery and issuance, shall be as binding upon the County as though those who signed the same had continued to be such

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Section 13. Procedures for Draws on the Note. A request for draw pursuant to the Note may be made in writing by an Authorized Officer in any manner approved by the Bank and the Authorized Officer.

Section 14. Sale of Note. The sale of the Note to Seattle-First National Bank, Seattle, Washington, at the price and pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth herein and in its offer dated as of September 8, 1994, is hereby in all respects accepted and approved. The proper County officials are hereby authorized and directed to do everything necessary for the prompt execution and delivery of the Note to the Bank and for the proper application and use of the proceeds of draws under the Note.

Section 15. Application of Draws on the Note. The proceeds of draws on the Note shall be paid into the appropriate fund of the County, as determined by the Authorized Officer, to be used for the purpose of paying the costs of the Project authorized in Section 2 hereof, including costs necessary and incidental thereto and the costs of issuance of the Note, or for the purpose of reimbursing any fund or funds of the County for advances, if any, made to pay such costs. The County shall maintain separate records of investments and expenditures of Note proceeds in order to comply with the requirements of Section 9 of this ordinance.

Section 16. Severability. If any one or more of the covenants or agreements provided in this ordinance to be performed on the part of the County shall be declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be contrary to law, then such covenant or covenants, agreement or agreements, shall be null and void and shall be deemed separable from the remaining covenants and agreements of this ordinance and shall in no way affect the validity of the other provisions of this ordinance or of the Note.

Section 17. Emergency Ordinance; Effective Date. The Council hereby finds and declares that for the immediate preservation of public safety and for the support of County government the Project and financing the costs of the Project must be accomplished as soon as

possible. Therefore, the Council hereby finds and declares that an emergency exists and that this Ordinance shall be effective after its passage as required by law for an emergency ordinance of the County. PASSED by a vote of 10 to 2 this 24th day of October, 1994. KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON ATTEST: Clerk of the Council APPROVED this 2 day of

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, duly chosen, qualified and acting Clerk of the County Council of King County, Washington, and keeper of the records of the County Council (the "Council"), DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

- 1. That the attached ordinance numbered _____ (the "Ordinance") is a true and correct copy of an ordinance of the County, as finally passed at a meeting of the Council held on the _____ day of September, 1994, and duly recorded in my office.
- 2. That said meeting was duly convened and held in all respects in accordance with law, and to the extent required by law, due and proper notice of such meeting was given; that a legal quorum was present throughout the meeting and a legally sufficient number of members of the Council voted in the proper manner for the passage of the Ordinance; that all other requirements and proceedings incident to the proper passage of the Ordinance have been duly fulfilled, carried out and otherwise observed, and that I am authorized to execute this certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the County this _____ day of September, 1994.

Clerk of the County Council, King County, Washington

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